

**Nu Strata Logistics
Information Summary for the Public**

Host Country(ies):	Liberia
Name of Borrower(s):	Nu Strata Logistics (Liberia) Inc.
Project Description:	Expansion of a transportation services business to include 12 additional municipal buses and van services in the city of Monrovia, Liberia
Proposed OPIC Loan:	\$1,059,266
Total Project Costs:	\$1,765,433
U.S. Sponsor:	Nu Strata Logistics (U.S.) LLC
Foreign Sponsor:	None
Policy Review	
U.S. Economic Impact:	The project is not expected to have a negative impact on the U.S. economy or employment. U.S. procurement is expected to have a positive impact on U.S. employment. The project will have a positive five-year U.S. balance of payments impact.
Developmental Effects:	This Project will have a positive developmental impact on the host country, Liberia. Social sector infrastructure developments will result from improving the local public transportation system. The Project will meet a large demand for reasonably-priced commuter transportation. Monrovia has a strong need for an enhanced mass transit public transportation service and logistical support to adequately service the city residents. The Project will create new employment opportunities for host country workers who will receive training and benefits. Some downstream impacts of the Project include an increase in demand for bus drivers, mechanics and other skilled labor to support this new business line.
Environment:	Operations associated with medium-scale transport services are screened as Category B projects under OPIC's environmental and social guidelines because impacts are limited and readily mitigated. The primary environmental and social concerns related to this Project are associated with public safety and driver safety while performing transport services.
Workers Rights:	OPIC's statutorily required standard worker rights language will be supplemented with provisions concerning the right of association, organization and collective bargaining, minimum age for employment, hours of work, and hazardous working situations. Standard and supplemental contract language will be applied to all workers of the Project. The Project will be required to operate in a manner consistent with the requirements of the International Finance Corporation's Performance Standard 2 on Labor and Working Conditions.
Human Rights:	This project received a human rights clearance on December 14, 2011.